

**The Anglican Parish of Mississippi Lake
welcomes you to worship with us!**

Sunday, November 20 – The Reign of Christ

The full order of service we're using today can be found in the Book of Alternative Services on page 185 or one of our worship booklets. Speak to a greeter if you're unsure what we're using this morning.

***Hymns will be announced, and hymn numbers
are posted on the hymn board.***

We gather today on the traditional, unceded territory of the Algonquin people.

May we dwell on this land with respect and peace.

The Collect of the Day

Almighty and everlasting God,
whose will it is to restore all things
in your well-beloved Son, our Lord and King,
grant that the peoples of the earth,
now divided and enslaved by sin,
may be freed and brought together
under his gentle and loving rule;
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

First reading

A reading from the book of Jeremiah

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the Lord. Therefore thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: "The Lord is our righteousness."

Jeremiah 23: 1-6

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

Thanks be to God.

Responsive reading

Our responsive reading today is from Canticle 19a. The congregation is invited to respond by reading aloud the verses in bold type.

Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel;
he has come to his people and set them free.

He has raised up for us a mighty Saviour,
born of the house of his servant David.

Through his holy prophets he promised of old,
that he would save us from our enemies,
from the hands of all who hate us.

He promised to show mercy to our fathers
and to remember his holy covenant.

This was the oath he swore to our father Abraham,
to set us free from the hands of our enemies,
free to worship him without fear,
holy and righteous in his sight all the days of our life.

You, my child, shall be called the prophet of the Most High,
for you will go before the Lord to prepare his way,
to give his people knowledge of salvation
by the forgiveness of their sins.

In the tender compassion of our God
the dawn from on high shall break upon us,
to shine on those who dwell in darkness and the shadow of death,
and to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now, and will be for ever. Amen

Canticle 19a

Second reading

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians

May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation; for in him all things in heaven and on earth were created, things visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or powers - all things have been created through him and for him. He himself is before all things, and in him all things hold together. He is the head of the body, the church; he is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, so that he might come to have first place in everything. For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him God was pleased to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, by making peace through the blood of his cross.

Colossians 1: 11-20

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Gospel

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke

Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. Then Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." And they cast lots to divide his clothing. And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription over him, "This is the King of the Jews." One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, "Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong." Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." He replied, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise."

Luke 23: 33-43

The Gospel of Christ.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

The Prayers of the People

If you would like to request prayers for yourself or someone you love, please contact the church office at office@lakesideanglicans.ca or 613-257-3178.

In the Anglican Cycle of Prayer we pray for The Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean

In the Anglican-Lutheran Cycle of Prayer for Canada, we pray for The Secretary General and staff of the Anglican Communion Office; The General Secretary and staff of the Lutheran World Federation; The members of the Joint Anglican-Lutheran Commission.

In our Diocese, we pray for Shane, our Bishop; Anne, our Metropolitan; Linda, our Primate; as well as The Anglican Council of Indigenous Peoples, Interim National Indigenous Bishop Sidney Black, Sacred Circle Events, and the ministry of reconciliation; Emmanuel, Arnprior; For the chaplain to the Ottawa Police Service, the Reverend Canon Robert Heard

In our Parish we pray for all those in need of our prayers, especially remembering **Norma, Ed, Marg, Amanda, Joan, Yvonne, Connie, Jennifer, Susan, Gloria, Regina, David, Don, Jim** and any others who we wish to name silently or aloud this morning... *(Short silence)*.

In communion with the saints of every time and place, let us pray for the church, those in need, and all of God's creation, with the words 'Hear our prayer'.

Holy and Ancient One, by your Spirit give the church vision to be your kingdom on earth, that freed from our sins, we may testify to your truth in the world. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Since the world began you have nourished creation. Continue to keep all you have made in your redeeming care. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Guide the leaders of the nations to govern their people justly and wisely, that your will may be done on earth as in heaven. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Grant grace and peace to all who suffer the trials of this world. Lift their oppression, and heal their wounds. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Lead us forth from this place, to make your sovereignty known in faithful service to you, and in loving care for one another. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

We give thanks for all the saints who belong to you. Bring us at last to sing a triumphant song with Jesus Christ, and all the company of heaven. Lord, in your mercy,
Hear our prayer.

Into your hands, gracious God, we commend all for whom we pray, trusting in your mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Saviour.
Amen.

This Week in the Parish This Week in the Parish
The Anglican Church in Ashton, Carleton Place, Franktown,
Innisville, Nolan's Corners & Clayton

November 21, 2022



Just One Thing!!!! Each week in the season of Advent, check your cupboard and please bring JUST ONE THING (as a prayerful offering) to Sunday Services for the Hunger Stop Lanark County Food Bank. Begins November 27(Advent 1) St James CP

Sunday, December 4 at 10 am. **Episcopal Visit with Confirmation (Joint Service).** St James Carleton Place

Monday, December 5 from 1-4 pm

Baking with Brenda & Jan presents: Stollen Bread.

via Zoom or In-person at St James Carleton Place. RSVP by November 23 with Brenda Adam.

613-838-1289

Wednesday's from 8:30-10:30 a.m.

St James Breakfast Table. Free hot breakfast. All Welcome!

Sunday, December 11 at 4pm. Outdoor Lessons and Carols in the

Carriage Sheds. St James Franktown. Join them after for a potluck supper in Centennial Hall. Everyone Welcome! Mark your calendars!

Saturday, December 17 from 1-2:30 p.m.

Christmas Carol Sing Along. St Bede's Nolan's Corners.